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Your Guide to PEEL'S WASTE MANAGEMENT Programs and Services

Recycle Every Day - Make it a Habit!

Please keep this booklet handy for future reference.

If you need more information on any of the Region's waste management programs or services, feel free to call the **WASTELINE** at **905-791-9499**.

Caledon residents in long-distance areas may call **905-584-2216** free of charge and ask for the **WASTELINE**.

The Region of Peel provides municipal waste management services in the Cities of Brampton and Mississauga and the Town of Caledon.

Visit our Web site at peelregion.ca/pw/waste

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Changing our ways TO SEIZE NEW OPPORTUNITIES

With growing waste management needs and limited disposal options, the Region of Peel is stepping up efforts to reduce the amount of waste we generate.

Our Long Term Goal

The Region of Peel has set a goal of diverting 70 per cent of our waste from disposal by 2016. This target is achievable, but requires that we embrace effective, new methods to manage waste.

Coming Soon

Starting in late 2005 and continuing in 2006, we will introduce you to a Region-wide Organics Collection Program. While organics collection is not new to many Caledon residents and participants in Peel's organics pilot project areas, we will begin offering this progressive waste reduction program to all Peel residents receiving curbside collection. Participation in this program will help divert thousands of additional tonnes of waste from disposal by turning it into quality compost.

Committed to Waste Reduction

These are challenging times, demanding new solutions and increased efforts. Over the next year, we will provide the programs, services, tools and encouragement you need to further reduce the waste you generate.

Thanks to your efforts, we're already diverting more than 45 per cent of Peel's waste from disposal. With your continued support and participation, we anticipate moving closer to our waste diversion target.



Emil Kolb, Regional Chair



Maja Prentice, Chair, Public Works Committee

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CURBSIDE COLLECTION SERVICES

SETTING OUT YOUR WASTE

- Place your garbage, recyclables, yard waste and organics at the curb no later than **7 a.m. on your scheduled collection day, but no earlier than 7 p.m. the night before**
- Place your recyclables, yard waste and organics on one side of the driveway and garbage on the opposite side, where possible
- Keep your waste separate from your neighbour's

Empty containers or waste not collected must be removed from the curb by 7 p.m. on your collection day.

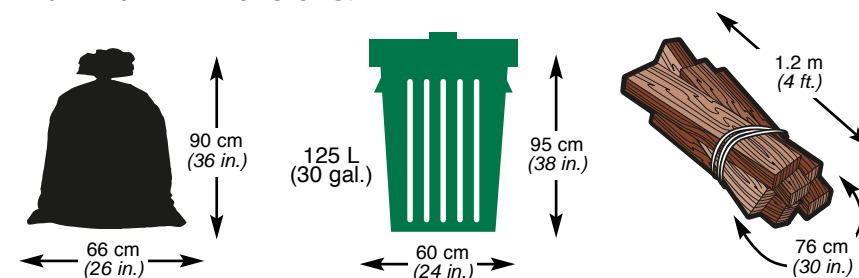
THREE BAG STANDARD PROGRAM

- Peel households may place up to three garbage bags, containers or small bundles of wood at the curb each week for collection
- Each additional bag, container or small bundle of wood requires a garbage tag attached to it for collection
- Bags or containers over the three bag limit, without tags, will not be collected

The three bag standard does not apply to recyclable materials, yard waste, large appliances or bulky items.

Do Your Garbage Bags, Containers and Bundles of Wood Measure Up?

Maximum Dimensions:



New Individual bags, containers and bundles of wood must not exceed 20 kg (44 lbs.)

New Containers must not exceed 125 L (27 gal.)

Tagging Your Bags and Containers

- Attach garbage tags to the neck of your garbage bag
- Place the tag around the handle of your container



Need Garbage Tags?

- Refer to pages 8 and 9 in this guide for a list of phone numbers and locations where you can purchase garbage tags

YARD WASTE AND ORGANICS COLLECTION

Mississauga and Brampton (excluding organics collection areas in North Brampton)

- Yard waste collection ends the week of November 28, 2005 and begins the week of April 3, 2006
- Place your yard waste in open, rigid, reusable containers, bushel baskets or paper yard waste bags for collection
- Do not use plastic bags or recycling boxes



North Brampton and Settled Areas of Caledon (organics collection areas)

- Place food and yard waste in your organics cart and set the cart at the curb with the handle facing the house and the lid opening towards the street
- Refer to the calendar on page 21 for your collection day schedule

Rural Areas of Caledon



Practise grasscycling and backyard composting to reduce the amount of yard waste you put out for collection.

- If you do not receive organics collection, you can place yard waste out for weekly garbage pick up
- Separate yard waste into clear plastic bags, bushel baskets or open top garbage containers and it will not be counted toward your three bag limit for garbage collection

General Yard Waste Guidelines

- Securely tie your brush in bundles less than 1.2 m (4 ft.) in length and 76 cm (30 in.) in width, weighing no more than 20 kg (44 lbs.)
- Brush and tree trimmings must be less than 10 cm (4 in.) in diameter
- Halloween pumpkins, corn stalks and fruits and vegetables remaining from your garden are acceptable yard waste material
- Stumps, soil and sod are not acceptable yard waste items



In organics collection areas, place bundled and tied brush beside your organics cart.



Take your stumps, soil and sod to any of Peel's Community Recycling Centres for disposal. Drop-off fees apply.

SPECIALTY COLLECTION SERVICES

Christmas Trees

Mississauga and Brampton (excluding organics collection areas in North Brampton)

- Place your Christmas tree at the curb on your scheduled collection day during the week of January 9, 2006

North Brampton and Settled Areas of Caledon (organics collection areas)

- Place your Christmas tree at the curb beside your organics cart on any scheduled collection day in the month of January



Remove all tinsel, ornaments, plastic bags and tree stands.

Christmas trees buried in snow banks may not get picked up.

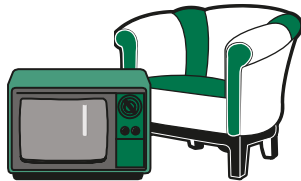


Furniture and Large Items

Place furniture and bulky items at the curb by 7 a.m. on your scheduled collection day for pick up.

Items accepted for curbside pick up include:

- furniture e.g. sofas, tables, chairs, etc.
- carpets (tied in bundles no larger than 1.2 m (4 ft.) in length and 76 cm (30 in.) in width)
- mattresses
- barbecues (propane tanks must be removed and taken to a Community Recycling Centre)
- small appliances
- televisions
- microwave ovens



The Region collects furniture and other large items every week - no need to wait for Exemption Periods.

Large Appliances and Metal Bathtubs

These items are collected from the curb by appointment only.

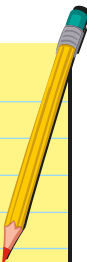
Items accepted for curbside pick up include:

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| • refrigerators | • air conditioners | • humidifiers |
| • washers and dryers | • pool heaters | • empty hot water tanks |
| • stoves | • heat pumps | • metal shower enclosures |
| • furnaces | • metal sinks | |
| • freezers | • metal bath tubs | |
| • dishwashers | | |



To arrange for pick up, call the **WASTELINE** at 905-791-9499 or free of charge from Caledon at 905-584-2216.

For safety reasons, please remove all appliance doors and place them beside the appliance for collection.



Many large items and appliances can be recycled or, if in good condition, reused. Reusable items can be dropped off, free of charge, at Peel's Community Recycling Centres. See pages 14 - 19 for details.

ITEMS NOT COLLECTED AT THE CURB

Construction and Renovation Materials

- Items such as shingles, drywall, tiles, bricks and large amounts of wood waste will not be collected
- Call the **WASTELINE** for disposal options or visit one of Peel's Community Recycling Centres

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

- HHW cannot be placed at the curb for waste collection or poured down the drain
- Take your HHW to one of Peel's Community Recycling Centres for safe disposal



For a list of household hazardous waste substances see pages 16 - 18

HOLIDAY AND EXEMPTION PERIOD SCHEDULE

Advertisements in community newspapers and mobile signs placed throughout the Region will notify you of collection day changes and exemption periods.

Holiday Schedule

If your collection day falls on or after the statutory holidays listed below, your waste will be collected one day later.

Friday, July 1, 2005	Canada Day
Monday, August 1, 2005	Civic Holiday *
Monday, September 5, 2005	Labour Day *
Monday, October 10, 2005	Thanksgiving Day *

Note: There will be no change to the collection schedule during the weeks of December 26-30, 2005 and January 2-6, 2006

*There will be no change to the collection schedules for residents in Caledon and those receiving organics collection in North Brampton due to these holidays. Please refer to your collection calendar on page 21.

Exemption Schedule

You may place unlimited quantities of acceptable waste at the curb on your scheduled collection day during the following two-week periods:

Two weeks after Victoria Day:
May 24 – June 3, 2005

Two weeks after Labour Day:
September 6 – 16, 2005

Two weeks after Christmas:
December 26, 2005 –
January 6, 2006

No Tags Required!



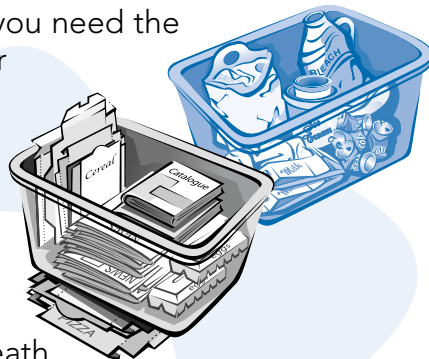
PACKAGING YOUR RECYCLABLES

Reduce litter in your neighbourhood by taking these simple steps to prevent your recyclables from taking flight at the curb on windy days.





Pack them right to prevent their flight.

General Tips

- On windy days, consider putting your recycling boxes out for collection in the morning, rather than the night before your collection day
- Don't overload your recycling boxes
- Pick up additional boxes if you need the room (see pages 8 and 9 for distribution locations)
- Stack your Blue Box on top of your Grey Box to prevent papers from blowing away
- Place flattened large cardboard securely underneath or between your recycling boxes






BLUE BOX TIPS

-  Squeeze pop cans, large plastic bottles and beverage cartons to save space
-  Stack cans and plastic food tubs inside each other
-  Place heavier items like glass bottles and jars on top of lighter items
-  Place all plastic bags in one untied plastic bag



GREY BOX TIPS

-  Flatten small cardboard boxes and place securely in your box
-  Fill boxboard boxes with other flattened boxboard material
-  Place heavier items like magazines, catalogues or telephone books on top of loose paper



For a complete listing of items you can recycle refer to the recycling guide on pages 10 and 11.

For more information or to report a litter problem in your area, call the **WASTELINE** at 905-791-9499.


Residents in long-distance areas of Caledon, call 905-584-2216 free of charge and ask for the **WASTELINE**. Visit our Web site at peelregion.ca/pw/waste

GARBAGE TAGS

Garbage tags are available at a cost of \$5 per sheet of five tags. Visit any of the locations listed below to pick up your garbage tags in person.

To purchase garbage tags using VISA or MasterCard for payment, visit our Web site at peelregion.ca/pw/waste or call the **WASTELINE** at **905-791-9499**. In long-distance areas of Caledon, call **905-584-2216** free of charge and ask for the **WASTELINE**. Your garbage tags will be mailed to you.

RECYCLING BOXES

Additional recycling boxes can be purchased for \$6 each at all locations listed below that are marked with a recycling box symbol ().

MISSISSAUGA

Mississauga City Hall

300 City Centre Dr.
Call 905-896-5000 for hours of operation

Battleford Community Recycling Centre



2255 Battleford Rd.
Mon. to Sun. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
(Thurs. evenings until 8 p.m.- April to October only)

Burnhamthorpe Community Centre

1500 Gulliden Dr.
Call 905-615-4630 for hours of operation

Burnhamthorpe Library

1350 Burnhamthorpe Rd. E.
Call 905-615-4635 for hours of operation

Cawthra Community Centre

1399 Cawthra Rd.
Call 905-615-4800 for hours of operation

Central Library

301 Burnhamthorpe Rd. W.
Call 905-615-3500 for hours of operation

Clarkson Community Centre

2475 Truscott Dr.
Call 905-615-4840 for hours of operation

Clarkson Works Yard



2167 Royal Windsor Dr.
Mon. to Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
and 1:30 - 4 p.m.

Erin Meadows Community Centre

2800 Erin Centre Blvd.
Call 905-615-4750 for hours of operation

Frank McKechnie Community Centre

310 Bristol Rd. E.
Call 905-615-4660 for hours of operation

Huron Park Community Centre

830 Paisley Blvd. W.
Call 905-615-4820 for hours of operation

Lakeview Library

1110 Atwater Ave.
Call 905-615-4805 for hours of operation

Malton Community Centre

3540 Morning Star Dr.
Call 905-615-4640 for hours of operation

Malton Works Yard



7100 Fir Tree Dr.
Mon. to Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
and 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Meadowvale Community Centre



6655 Glen Erin Dr.
Call 905-615-4710 for hours of operation

Meadowvale Library

6677 Meadowvale Town Centre Cir.
Call 905-615-4715 for hours of operation

Mississauga Public Works Yard



3185 Mavis Rd.
Mon. to Fri. 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Mississauga Valley Community Centre

1275 Mississauga Valley Blvd.
Call 905-615-4670 for hours of operation

Port Credit Library

20 Lakeshore Rd. E.
Call 905-615-4835 for hours of operation

River Grove Community Centre


5800 River Grove Rd.
Call 905-615-4780 for hours of operation

South Common Community Centre

2233 South Millway Dr.
Call 905-615-4770 for hours of operation

BRAMPTON

Region of Peel Headquarters

10 Peel Centre Dr., Access Peel
Mon. to Fri. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. 

Brampton City Hall

2 Wellington St. W.
Call 905-874-2000 for hours of operation

Brampton Community Recycling Centre



395 Chrysler Dr.
Mon. to Sun. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
(Thurs. evenings until 8 p.m.- April to October only)

Balmoral Recreation Centre

225 Balmoral Dr.
Call 905-793-8222 for hours of operation

Century Gardens Recreation Complex

340 Vodden St. E.
Call 905-874-2814 for hours of operation

Chinguacousy Library

150 Central Park Dr.
Call 905-793-4636 for hours of operation

Chinguacousy Wellness Centre

995 Peter Robertson Blvd.
Call 905-789-6111 for hours of operation

Chris Gibson Recreation Centre



125 McLaughlin Rd. N.
Call 905-874-2820 for hours of operation

Cyril Clark Library

20 Loafer's Lake Lane
Call 905-793-4636 for hours of operation

CALEDON

Caledon Municipal Centre



6311 Old Church Rd.
Call 905-584-2272 or 800-303-2546
for hours of operation

Bolton Community Recycling Centre



109 Industrial Rd.
Tues. to Sat. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Caledon Public Waste and Recycling Depot



Regional Road 24 and Southwest
corner of McLaren Rd.
Mon. to Sat. 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Albion/Bolton Union Community Centre

150 Queen St. S. (Bolton)
Call 905-857-3356 for hours of operation

Alton Library

15 Station St.
Call 519-941-5480 for hours of operation

Belfountain Library

17239 Shaw's Creek Rd.
Call 519-927-5701 for hours of operation

Earnscliffe Recreation Centre

44 Eastbourne Dr.
Call 905-792-2224 for hours of operation

Ellen Mitchell Recreation Centre

922 North Park Dr.
Call 905-791-4811 for hours of operation

Four Corners Library

65 Queen St. E.
Call 905-793-4636 for hours of operation

Howden Recreation Centre

150 Howden Blvd.
Call 905-793-4645 for hours of operation

Jim Archdekin Recreation Centre

292 Conestoga Dr.
Call 905-840-1023 for hours of operation

Loafer's Lake Recreation Centre

30 Loafer's Lake Lane
Call 905-846-2370 for hours of operation

Prince of Wales Country Market

2548 Embleton Rd. (Huttonville)
Call 905-455-8136 for hours of operation

South Fletcher's Library

500 Ray Lawson Blvd.
Call 905-793-4636 for hours of operation

South Fletcher's Sportsplex

500 Ray Lawson Blvd.
Call 905-874-2856 for hours of operation

Terry Miller Recreation Centre



1295 Williams Pkwy.
Call 905-791-8211 for hours of operation

Caledon Centre for Recreation/Wellness

14111 Hwy. 50 (Bolton)
Call 905-857-3313 for hours of operation

Caledon East Library

6500 Old Church Rd.
Call 905-584-1456 for hours of operation

Caledon Village Library

18313 Hurontario St.
Call 519-927-5800 for hours of operation

Cheltenham Country Store

14386 Creditview Rd.
Call 905-838-2729 for hours of operation

Inglewood Library

15825 McLaughlin Rd.
Call 905-838-3324 for hours of operation

Margaret Dunn Library

20 Snelcrest Dr. (Caledon)
Call 905-843-0457 for hours of operation

Mayfield Recreation Complex

12087 Bramalea Rd. (Caledon East)
Call 905-843-2216 for hours of operation

Palgrave Variety

17210 Hwy. 50
Call 905-880-5311 for hours of operation

RECYCLING GUIDE

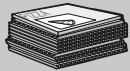
RECYCLING IS MANDATORY IN THE REGION OF PEEL!

Place paper products securely in your Grey Box or Blue Bag



Paper

Newspapers, catalogues, magazines, telephone and paperback books, household paper, junk mail, envelopes, paper gift wrap and cards



Cardboard

Small cardboard must be flattened and placed securely in the Grey Box. Flatten large cardboard and place within another cardboard box or place it securely underneath or between your recycling boxes. Dimensions must not exceed: 90 cm x 90 cm (36 in. x 36 in.)



Boxboard

Food boxes (cereal, cookie, frozen food - liners removed), tissue boxes, shoe boxes, paper egg cartons, detergent boxes (clean, empty and flattened)

Please minimize use of plastic bags for containing paper products. Do not tie plastic bags.

Place containers securely in your Blue Box or Blue Bag



Beverage Cartons and Boxes
Milk and juice cartons and juice boxes



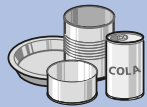
Polystyrene Foam
Foam plastic egg cartons, protective packaging and take-out food containers



Glass Bottles and Jars
(lids and caps removed and placed in garbage)



Plastic Bottles, Jugs and Jars
Plastic bottles, jugs and jars used for beverages, shampoo, lotions, cleaners, windshield washer fluid, and other household liquids (caps and lids removed and placed in garbage)



Metal Containers
Food and beverage cans and aluminum foil trays and pie plates



Plastic Tubs and Lids
Plastic food tubs for yogurt, margarine, sour cream, cottage cheese and ice cream (lids removed and placed in Blue Box)



Empty Aerosol and Metal Paint Cans
(metal lids removed and placed in Blue Box, plastic caps and lids removed and placed in garbage)



Plastic Bags
Grocery, bread, produce and frozen vegetable bags, dry cleaning bags, rinsed milk bags, and plastic cereal and cracker box liners. Please place all plastic bags in one untied plastic bag

Do not place containers in plastic bags. Please rinse all containers and flatten large plastic containers.

Caledon/North Brampton/ Organics Pilot Areas Place organics in your cart/container



Kitchen Waste
All food waste including bread, meat, dairy, fruits, vegetables, eggs, sauces, pasta, bones, coffee grinds, filters and tea bags



Yard Waste
Yard waste including grass clippings, plants, weeds, leaves and brush

No sod, soil or rocks



General
Microwave popcorn bags, dryer lint, hair, pet hair and soiled paper products including newsprint, paper towels, paper plates, napkins and tissues

**NO kitty litter
NO animal waste
NO diapers**

Only settled areas of Caledon receive organics collection. Please call the **WASTELINE** to confirm participation.

Do Not Recycle in Your Blue and Grey Box



Drinking glasses, cups, dishes, glass cookware, ceramics, mirrors and light bulbs



HHW such as paint, motor oil, cleaners and batteries
Place empty motor oil containers in the garbage



Plastic cups, plates and utensils, plastic food wrap, soiled bags, plastic toys, diapers, hose and rope



Tissue paper, wax paper, paper towels, cookie bags, foil chip bags and hardcover books



Textiles (shoes, clothing, linen, towels)



Coat hangers, wire, pots, pans and kitchen utensils

Bring reusable goods and household hazardous waste to your local Community Recycling Centre. Throw other items in the garbage.



For more information call the **WASTELINE** at 905-791-9499, or visit our Web site at peelregion.ca/pw/waste
For long-distance areas in Caledon, call 905-584-2216 free of charge and ask for the **WASTELINE**.

APARTMENT COLLECTION SERVICES

The Region of Peel provides waste collection and recycling services for more than 80,000 multi-residential units across Peel.

You should be aware recycling is mandatory for all residents living in apartments, condominiums, co-operative housing, townhome complexes and other multi-family units.

Currently, waste diversion rates in multi-residential units are lower than those observed in single-family households. Single-family households recycle 30 per cent of the waste they generate, while multi-residential units recycle only 10 per cent of their waste.

Helping you to increase the amount you recycle is a priority! Over the next year we will provide you with the information, tools and the encouragement you need to further reduce the waste you generate. We will also be working with your property manager to improve your recycling system.

This guide contains valuable information on waste reduction opportunities and programs that are available to you.

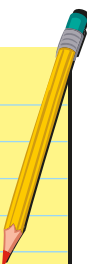


You may refer to this guide for list of all items that can be recycled in your building's program (pages 10 and 11), as well as learn about additional disposal, recycling and reuse options available through Peel's Community Recycling Centres (pages 14 - 19).

HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS

- Multi-family buildings are supplied with Blue and Grey Recycling Carts for collecting recyclable containers and paper products
- Each residential unit is provided with a reusable Blue Bag for storing and transporting recyclable material to recycling carts at a designated collection area in the complex
- Recyclable containers must be separated from paper products

Blue Bags are available at no charge. If you do not have one, please contact your Property Manager or Superintendent.



RECYCLING GUIDELINES



For a complete listing of recyclable and non-recyclable materials please refer to pages 10 and 11.



SPECIALTY COLLECTION SERVICES

The Region of Peel provides specialty collection services including:

- Christmas tree collection
- Furniture and large item collection
- Large appliance and metal bathtub collection



Contact your Property Manager or Superintendent for more information.



Many large items and appliances can be recycled or, if in good condition, reused. Reusable items can be dropped off, free of charge, at Peel's Community Recycling Centres. See pages 14 - 19 for details.

ITEMS NOT COLLECTED AT YOUR COMPLEX

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

- HHW cannot be placed at the curb for waste collection or poured down the drain
- For a list of HHW substances see pages 16 - 18

IT'S ALL HERE FOR YOU AT OUR COMMUNITY RECYCLING CENTRES

The Region of Peel's network of Community Recycling Centres offers residents and small businesses a convenient opportunity to drop off recyclable and non-recyclable materials and reusable goods. In addition, residents can drop off household hazardous waste for safe disposal.

The recycling and disposal services offered are designed to supplement weekly curbside and apartment collection programs. Peel's Community Recycling Centres are for use by Peel residents and small businesses only and proper identification is required.

ITEMS ACCEPTED

Recyclable Items

- all Blue and Grey Box items
- yard waste
- scrap wood (maximum 1.2 m (4 ft.) in length)
- scrap metal (maximum 2.4 m (8 ft.) in length)
- tires (maximum six passenger car and light truck)
- drywall
- plastic farm bale wrap**
- appliances, including those with refrigerants chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs)

**only at the Caledon Public Waste and Recycling Depot



Electronic Goods

- computers
- fax machines
- monitors
- printers/scanners
- phones
- modems
- VCRs
- cash registers

NOTE: Please remove all batteries and toner cartridges before dropping off electronics. Batteries can be disposed of at the Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) drop-off and toner cartridges can be recycled.

Other Items

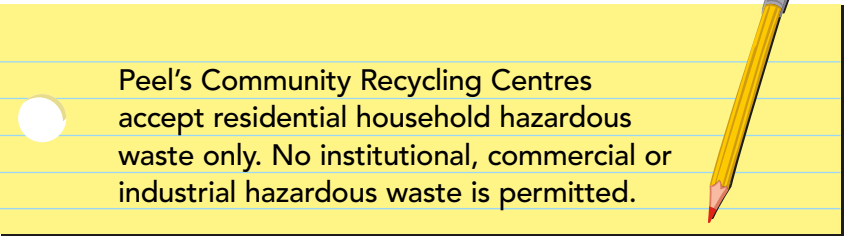
- garbage
- rubble (brick, concrete, asphalt, ceramic tile, porcelain)
- clean fill (soil, topsoil, clay, sand)
- shingles
- construction and demolition material

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED

- heavy equipment tires
- heavy truck and tractor trailer tires
- tires from businesses
- scrap wood longer than 1.2 m (4 ft.)
- scrap metal longer than 2.4 m (8 ft.)
- household hazardous waste from businesses

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Household hazardous waste, if not disposed of properly can be harmful to people, animals and the environment.



Peel's Community Recycling Centres accept residential household hazardous waste only. No institutional, commercial or industrial hazardous waste is permitted.



Hazardous waste includes items that are:

EXPLOSIVE

Containers labelled with this symbol can explode.



FLAMMABLE

These products may ignite when exposed to heat or flame.



TOXIC

Products marked with this symbol are poisonous.



CORROSIVE

Products labelled with this symbol can cause burns.



Hazardous waste **MUST NOT** be included in your curbside garbage, recycling collection or poured down the drain.



Items Accepted:

- propane cylinders, maximum 18 kg (40 lbs.)
- fluorescent light bulbs/tubes and ballasts
- batteries (all types) including lead acid
- syringes/needles/lancets (only in biohazard containers)
- mercury thermometers/thermostats

There is an 80 L (20 gal.) limit per day on the following items:

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| • antifreeze | • motor oil and filters |
| • brake and transmission fluid | • aerosol cans (full or partially full) |
| • cleaners and detergents | • fuels (gas, kerosene, etc.) |
| • pool chemicals | • paints/stains and solvents |
| • fire extinguishers | • photographic chemicals |
| • chlorine | • fertilizers and pesticides |
| • acids or bases | • medication and pharmaceutical products |
| • adhesives (all types) | |
| • cooking oil | |

Items Not-Accepted:

- smoke detectors
- radioactive waste
- biomedical waste (ie. items soiled with bodily fluids)
- PCB contaminated waste
- flares, fireworks and ammunition



Call your local police department for proper disposal of flares, fireworks and ammunition. **Do not bring them to Community Recycling Centres!**



Sharps disposal

- Peel's Community Recycling Centres only accept needles, syringes and lancets in biohazard containers specifically designed to contain sharps
- Pick up and/or drop off biohazard containers at any Community Recycling Centre, free of charge



REUSABLE GOODS STORES AND DROP-OFF AREAS

The Region operates reusable goods drop-off areas, exchanges and/or retail stores at its network of Community Recycling Centres. Your donation of reusable goods supports social programs such as Meals on Wheels, transportation of the elderly and crisis hotlines in Caledon. Elsewhere in Peel, the program supports employment training through a partnership with Ontario Works and Goodwill.

It is easy to donate reusable goods to Goodwill and Caledon Community Services. You can drop off items at the Battleford, Bolton or Brampton Community Recycling Centres. All items that are in good condition are accepted free of charge and resold at moderate prices in the reusable goods stores located at the Bolton and Brampton Community Recycling Centres.

Reusable goods can also be dropped off free of charge at the reuse area located at the Caledon Public Waste and Recycling Depot. At this location residents are welcome to pick up these items free of charge.

Acceptable Reusable Items

- home furnishings
- clothing
- housewares
- books
- toys
- working appliances
- building materials
- doors and windows
- plumbing fixtures
- dimensional lumber
- tools and shop equipment



Your donation of reusable goods contributes to building a stronger community by diverting waste from disposal and reducing recycling costs.

DROP-OFF FEES

The following items are accepted **FREE OF CHARGE**:

- Household hazardous waste
- Dedicated loads of Blue and Grey Box material
- Clean fill, rubble and farm bale wrap (Caledon Public Waste and Recycling Depot only)
- Reusable goods

The following fees apply to all other loads:

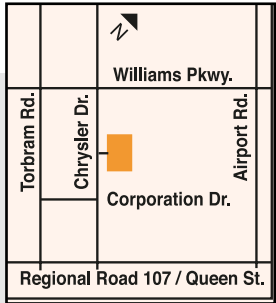
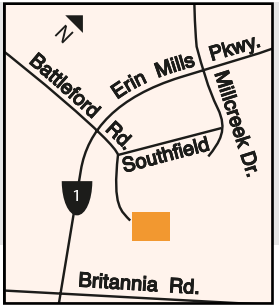
Weight of load *	Drop-off fee
Up to and including 25 kg (55 lbs.)	\$2 flat rate
Greater than 25 kg (55 lbs.)	8¢ per kg
*Up to a maximum load weight of 750 kg (1653 lbs.)	

Method of Payment: Cash, Debit, VISA or MasterCard

COMMUNITY RECYCLING CENTRES

Battleford Community Recycling Centre *

2255 Battleford Rd., Mississauga
Hours: Mon-Sun., 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Evening Hours: Thurs. until 8 p.m. **

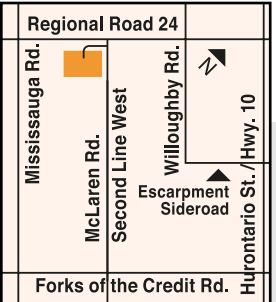
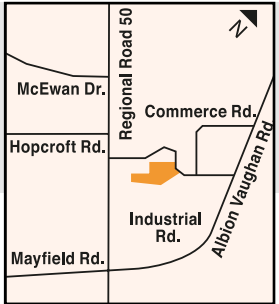


Brampton Community Recycling Centre *

395 Chrysler Dr., Brampton
Hours: Mon-Sun., 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Evening Hours: Thurs. until 8 p.m. **

Bolton Community Recycling Centre *

109 Industrial Rd., Bolton
Hours: Tues.-Sat., 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



Caledon Public Waste and Recycling Depot

1795 Quarry Dr., Caledon
Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

- * Reuse stores and drop off centres are operated in partnership with Goodwill and Caledon Community Services
- ** Evening hours during Daylight Saving Time only (April-October)

COLLECTION SERVICES

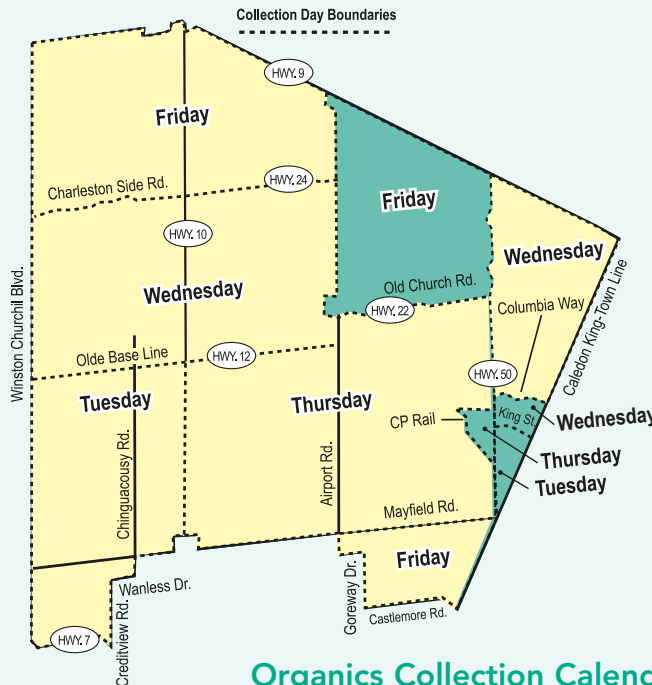
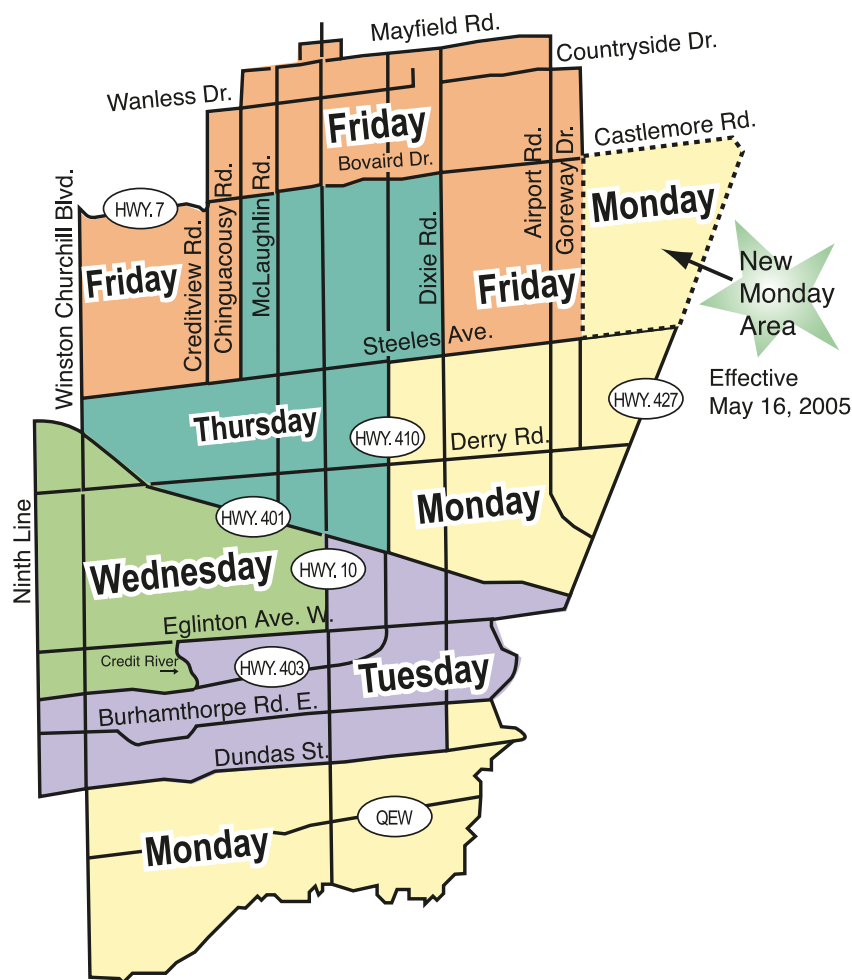
BRAMPTON AND MISSISSAUGA

- Weekly garbage and recycling collection
- Weekly yard waste collection in season (April to November) - refer to page 2
- Weekly organics collection in Peel Organics Demonstration areas only
- Appliance collection by appointment only - refer to page 4

CALEDON AND NORTH BRAMPTON

- Weekly garbage and recycling collection
- Organics and yard waste collection every other week in settled areas of Caledon and North Brampton - refer to map on next page
- Appliance collection by appointment only - refer to page 4

Brampton and Mississauga Collection Areas



Refer to the map and colour of shading in your collection area. Your organics collection weeks are marked in the same colour on the calendar below.

Organics Collection Calendar – Settled areas only

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
May	24 31	25	26	27 ★
June	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 ★
July	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1→2 ▲ 8 15 22 29
August	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26
September	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 ★ 16 ★ 23 30
October	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28
November	1 8 15 22	2 9 16 23	3 10 17 24	4 11 18 25

★ These weeks are **Exemption Periods** (see page 6)
▲ No collection due to Canada Day. Garbage, Recycling and Organics will be collected on Saturday, July 2.